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QON No. 110

STANDING COMMITTEE ON PLANNING, TRANSPORT, AND CITY SERVICES
JO CLAY MLA (CHAIR), SUZANNE ORR MLA (DEPUTY CHAIR), MARK PARTON MLA

Inquiry into referred 2019–20 Annual and Financial Reports and Budget Estimates 2020-21
ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE

Michael Pettersson MLA: To ask the Minister for Transport and City Services

Output 2.4: City Maintenance and Services

Output 1.1: Transport Canberra

In relation to:

- Why is cleaning of electrical and gas barbecues in the ACT outsourced to a private provider?
 - Could this work be done by ongoing ACT Government employees?
- Why is cleaning of Transport Canberra bus depots and various sites outsourced to a private provider?
 - Could this work be done by ongoing ACT Government employees?

Chris Steel MLA: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:—

- Cleaning of public BBQs has been outsourced for the past 15 years and has been an efficient and effective means of providing this service to the community.
 - The ACT Government is considering how this work may be able to be undertaken by Transport Canberra and City Services employees.
- Funding for the cleaning of Transport Canberra bus depots, terminus and administrative buildings within interchanges is provided within the operating costs of the bus network and currently contracted through a competitive process, with services provided by a private operator.

The ACT Government is considering how this work may be able to be undertaken by Transport Canberra and City Services employees.

Approved for circulation to the Standing Committee on Planning, Transport, and City Services

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1/4/21

By the Minister for Transport and City Services, Chris Steel MLA